

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) A laminated metal sheet for can end comprising a metal sheet and a polyester film being laminated on the metal sheet, wherein the polyester film is a polyester composition prepared by formulating 30-60 wt% of a polyester (I) composed of ethylene terephthalate as a main repeating unit, and 40-70 wt% of a polyester (II) composed of butylene terephthalate as a main repeating unit and has an amorphous polyester layer in the polyester film has having a thickness in a range from 0.5 to 8 μm , ~~the amorphous polyester layer has~~ and a half-time of crystallization of 40 seconds or smaller at ~~130°C~~ 130°C, and the polyester film has a water vapor transmissivity of 100 ~~g/m²/24~~ g/m²/24 hr or smaller.

Claim 2. (Cancelled)

Claim 3. (Currently Amended) The laminated metal sheet for can end according to claim 1, wherein the polyester film being laminated on the metal sheet on a side to become the outer face of the formed end has a thickness of 10 μm or larger, and the total thickness of the polyester films being laminated on the metal sheet on both sides thereof to become the outer face and the inner face of the formed end is 60 μm or smaller.

Claim 4. (Cancelled)